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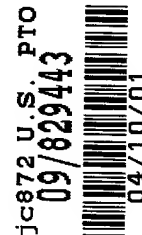
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a nonprovisional utility patent application for
filing as identified below:

Inventor(s): ROBERT H. WAKE, RICHARD J. GRABLE and WILLIAM DIECKMANN

Title: SCANNER FOR A MEDICAL OPTICAL IMAGING DEVICE EMPLOYING
SUPPRESSION OF OPTICAL REFLECTIONS

Drawings: Four (4) sheets depicting Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Small Entity

Other

(Verified Statement Attached)

Basic Fee -----	\$355.00	Basic Fee -----	\$710.00
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3 x \$40.00 -----	\$	3 x \$80.00 -----	\$
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This is a nonprovisional application claiming the priority benefit of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/197,415, filed April 14, 2000.


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Respectfully submitted,

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